

**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 3762**

**S/N 10/025,183**

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| Applicant:  | Jeffrey A. Von Arx et al.                                           | Examiner:       | George C. Manuel |
| Serial No.: | 10/025,183                                                          | Group Art Unit: | 3762             |
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| Title:      | AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE WITH TWO OR MORE<br>TELEMETRY SYSTEMS |                 |                  |

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**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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In response to the final Office Action dated July 31, 2006, please amend the application as follows.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a 3-month extension of the period for responding to the Office Action, thereby moving the deadline for response from October 31, 2006 to January 31, 2007.